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Set	Items	Description
S1	142799	TUNGSTEN OR W OR WOLFRAM
S2	336093	SILICON OR SI
S3	834	SILICON ON INSULATOR METAL OXIDE SEMICONDUCTOR OR SOI(W) M-OSFET
S4	18195	CC=B2530F Metal-insulator-semiconductor structures
S5	495267	TRENCH? ? OR HOLE? ? OR GROOVE? ? OR CHANNEL? ? OR EDGE? ? OR FLUSH OR RIDGE?
S6	63830	(EPI OR EPITAX?) (3N) (LAYER? OR FILM OR FILMS OR COAT????)
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S9	87	S3 AND S7
S10	77597	DRAIN? ? OR DRIFT? ? OR (ACTIVE OR DIFFUSION OR SOURCE) (2N-) (REGION OR REGIONS OR AREAS OR AREA OR ZONE OR ZONES)
S11	35	S9 AND S10
S12	0	S11 AND S6
S13	26	S11 AND S5
S14	5	S3 AND (S1 AND S2)
S15	2252	(BURY??? OR BURIED OR ENCAPSUL? OR CAPSUL? OR ENCAS????) (-3N) (INSULAT? OR DIELECTRIC OR OXIDE)
S16	101	S3 AND S15
S17	60	S16 AND S8
S18	44	S16 AND S10
S19	79	S17 OR S18
S20	44	S17 AND S5
S21	39	S18 AND S5
S22	12	S21 AND (METAL? OR POLYSILICON)
S23	14	S20 AND (METAL? OR POLYSILICON)
S24	17	S22 OR S23
S25	21	S13 NOT (S14 OR S22 OR S23)
S26	764	S3 AND (S1 OR S2)
S27	8	S3 AND S6
S28	7	S27 NOT (S25 OR S24 OR S14)
S29	95	S26 AND S15
S30	41	S29 AND S10
S31	23	S30 AND S8
S32	10	S31 NOT (S28 OR S25 OR S24 OR S14)
S33	4	S26 AND (METAL?) (3N) (LAYER? OR FILM OR FILMS OR COAT????)
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S35	0	S26 AND (TUNGSTEN OR W OR WOLFRAM) (3N) (LAYER? OR FILM OR FILMS OR COAT????)
S36	6	S26 AND S6
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 6111607 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9901-2560R-105, C9901-7410D-147
 Title: A dynamic depletion SOI MOSFET model for SPICE
 Author(s): Sinitsky, D.; Fung, S.; Tang, S.; Pin Su; Mansun Chan; Ping Ko
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 Author Affiliation: Dept. of Electr. Eng. & Comput. Sci., California
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 Conference Title: 1998 Symposium on VLSI Technology Digest of Technical
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 Publisher: IEEE, New York, NY, USA
 Publication Date: 1998 Country of Publication: USA xiii+227 pp.
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 Conference Title: 1998 Symposium on VLSI Technology Digest of Technical
 Papers Conference Location: Honolulu, HI, USA
 Conference Date: 9-11 June 1998
 Language: English
 Abstract: We show, using measurements, that a transition between partial
 and full depletion (PD and FD) modes of operation as terminal voltages vary
 with time (dynamic depletion) has a strong impact on thin film SOI
 MOSFET characteristics. A model incorporating this effect is
 presented. It includes floating body, backgate, and body contact nodes, as
 well as impact ionization, GIDL, diode leakage and parasitic bipolar
 currents. Self-heating is modeled by an auxiliary R_{th}/C_{th}/L_{th}
 circuit. The model uses a single smooth equation over all operating regimes
 for each current and charge and is fully scalable with T_{sub si},
 T_{sub box}, T_{sub ox}, W, and L.
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 5909216 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9806-2560R-047
 Title: Impact of scaling silicon film thickness and channel width on
 SOI MOSFET with reoxidized MESA isolation
 Author(s): Fung, S.K.H.; Chan, M.; Ko, P.K.
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 Journal: IEEE Transactions on Electron Devices vol.45, no.5 p.
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 Material Identity Number: I037-98005
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 Language: English
 Abstract: The characteristics of reoxidized MESA isolation for
 silicon-on-insulator (SOI) MOSFET have been studied in
 terms of the dependence of device performance on silicon film

thickness and channel width scaling. For devices with silicon film thickness ($T_{\text{sub Si}}$) smaller than a critical thickness, humps appear in subthreshold IV and negative threshold voltage shift is observed in narrow width devices. The width encroachment (Delta W) also increases rapidly with reducing $T_{\text{sub Si}}$. These observations can be explained by the formation of sharp beak and accelerated sidewall oxide growth in these devices. A simple guideline is given to optimize the reoxidation process for different $T_{\text{sub Si}}$.

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5835777 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9803-1265B-064, C9803-7410D-134

Title: Double gate dynamic threshold voltage (DGDT) SOI MOSFETs for low power high performance designs

Author(s): Liqiong Wei; Zhanping Chen; Roy, K.

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Conference Title: 1997 IEEE International SOI Conference Proceedings (Cat. No.97CH36069) p.82-3

Publisher: IEEE, New York, NY, USA

Publication Date: 1997 Country of Publication: USA xii+185 pp.

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Conference Title: 1997 IEEE International SOI Conference Proceedings

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Conference Date: 6-9 Oct. 1997 Conference Location: Fish Camp, CA, USA

Language: English

Abstract: In this paper, double gate dynamic threshold voltage (DGDT) SOI MOSFETs, which combine the advantages of DTMOS and FD SOI MOSFETs without the limitation of the supply voltage, are simulated using SOI-SPICE4.4. The threshold voltages, leakage currents and drive currents for FD SOI MOSFETs and DGDT SOI MOSFETs are compared. DGDT SOI MOSFETs show symmetric characteristics and the best $I_{\text{on}}/I_{\text{off}}$. Excellent DC inverter characteristics down to 0.15 V and good full adder performance at 1V are shown. The propagation delay and the average power consumption of the full adder are 0.625 ns and 11.5 μW , respectively. It can be seen that DGDT SOI MOSFET is a good candidate for low power high performance designs.

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02862548 INSPEC Abstract Number: A87046312, B87023699

Title: Study of the laser-recrystallized film with a control of grain boundary location by using surrounding antireflection cap method

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CODEN: JECMA5 ISSN: 0361-5235

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Abstract: A modified technique for unseeded laser-recrystallization of poly-crystalline silicon films deposited on amorphous insulators has been developed whereby grain boundary location in the recrystallized silicon film can be controlled. In this technique, the silicon film is encapsulated with an antireflection cap with windows and then recrystallized by CW-Ar ion laser irradiation. Grain boundaries are removed from the silicon film at the place where the window is opened because of the temperature gradient due to a change in laser-beam absorption in the silicon film. The (100) texture is observed in the grain-boundary-free areas although the silicon shows (110) texture before the recrystallization. An SOI/MOSFET has been fabricated in the recrystallized film. The channel regions of MOSFETs are aligned in the window regions. Field-effect mobility of $490 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$ is obtained for n-channel MOSFETs. Source-to-drain leakage current of $5 \text{ fA}/\mu\text{m}$ is obtained at drain voltage of 5 V and back-gate voltage of -100 V for the W/L=10 $\mu\text{m}/2 \mu\text{m}$ MOSFET.

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02519718 INSPEC Abstract Number: B85050780
Title: 3-dimensional integration fabricated by using seeded lateral

epitaxial film on SiO₂/sub 2/
Author(s): Sasaki, N.; Iwai, T.; Kawamura, S.; Mukai, R.; Wada, K.;

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Conference Title: Comparison of Thin Film Transistor and SOI Technologies

Symposium p.149-54
Editor(s): Lam, H.W.; Thompson, M.J.

Publisher: North-Holland, New York, NY, USA
Publication Date: 1984 Country of Publication: USA xv+321 pp.

ISBN: 0 444 00899 3
Conference Location: Albuquerque, NM,
Conference Date: 26-28 Feb. 1984

USA

Language: English
Abstract: Seeded lateral epitaxial laser-recrystallization of silicon film on SiO₂/sub 2/ is applied to fabricate 3-dimensional (3-D) integrations: 3-D CMOS 7-stage ring oscillators. Top p-channel Si-gate SOI MOSFETs are fabricated in the seeded recrystallized silicon directly above bottom n-channel Si-gate bulk MOSFETs with an insulator in between. The recrystallized silicon at the seed region can be utilized for a buried contact to interconnect bottom and top MOSFETs. At the arsenic implantation step to fabricate source and drain of the bottom MOSFETs, ions are not implanted into the seed region to prevent heavy doping and crystal disorder there; otherwise the dopant diffuses laterally and residual crystal disorder disturbs the epitaxial recrystallization. After the laser-recrystallization, the seed region is implanted with phosphorus to interconnect the top and bottom MOSFETs. The Ar^{+/} laser irradiation is performed with 10 W power, a 50 μm spot size, a 13 cm/s scanning speed and a 13 μm step at 400 degrees C in air. Propagation delay of 460 psec is obtained for the seven stage 3-D CMOS ring oscillator at a power supply voltage of 17 V for a channel length of 3 μm and a channel width of 18 μm . In the seeded SOI films, grain boundary generation and crystal orientation can be controlled.

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6882801 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2001-05-2560R-039
 Title: Designing nanometre silicon-on-insulator MOSFET with
 buried Si/sub 1-x/Ge/sub x/ quantum well channel
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 Material Identity Number: G387-2001-004
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Language: English
 Abstract: We study the device characterization of Si-on-insulator (SOI) metal-oxide-semiconductor field effect transistor (MOSFET) with buried Si/sub 1-x/Ge, quantum well (QW) channel. Accurate quantum mechanical description of the p-channel of the buried Si/sub 1-x/Ge/sub x/ QW shows that the peak carrier concentration in the conduction channel is higher in the positively graded SiGe QW, whereas the carriers are more uniformly distributed in the retrograded QW. By phenomenologically introducing a physical parameter to describe the energy relaxation of the transmitting wave due to various scattering processes, systematic simulation about quantum wave transmission of our SOI MOSFET indicates normal current-bias characteristics in the nanometre regime. A threshold gate bias of about 0.6 V is obtained for both the positively graded and retrograded SiGe QWs.

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6853009 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2001-04-2560R-031
 Title: High performance gate-all-around devices using metal induced lateral crystallization
 Author(s): Chan, V.W.C.; Chan, P.C.H.
 Author Affiliation: Dept. of Electr. & Electron., Hong Kong Univ. of Sci. & Technol., China
 Conference Title: 2000 IEEE International SOI Conference. Proceedings (Cat. No.00CH37125) p.112-13
 Publisher: IEEE, Piscataway, NJ, USA
 Publication Date: 2000 Country of Publication: USA xi+143 pp.
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 Conference Title: 2000 IEEE International SOI Conference. Proceedings
 Conference Sponsor: IEEE Electron Devices Soc
 Conference Date: 2-5 Oct. 2000 Conference Location: Wakefield, MA, USA
 Language: English
 Abstract: Double gate or gate-all-around transistors were

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predicted to continue the improvement in device performance down to 0.02 μ m gate length (Wong et al., 1997; Colinge et al., 1990; Tanaka et al., 1994). In this work, a high performance gate-all-around transistor (GAT) is demonstrated. The device is fabricated from either a bulk silicon wafer or on the top of any device layers. The fabrication process uses metal-induced-lateral-crystallization (MILC) to recrystallize the amorphous silicon to form large silicon grains in the active area. Using this technique, the transistor performance is comparable to a SOI MOSFET (Jagar et al., 1999). Compared to the method of cavity etch on the buried oxide, our method provides a uniform bottom gate length. Compared to the single-gate thin film transistor (SGT) and solid phase crystallization (SPC) devices, the GAT has lower subthreshold slope, lower threshold voltage, higher transconductance, nearly double the drive current and lower off-current. The impact of channel length and width scaling is investigated.

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6852910 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2001-04-2560R-028
Title: A quasi-two dimensional model for fully depleted single gate SOI MOSFETS including temperature effects
Author(s): Gharabagi, R.
Author Affiliation: Dept. of Electr. Eng., St. Louis Univ., MO, USA
Conference Title: Proceedings of the IEEE 2000 National Aerospace and Electronics Conference. NAECON 2000. Engineering Tomorrow (Cat. No.00CH37093) p.508-15
Publisher: IEEE, Piscataway, NJ, USA
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Conference Sponsor: Dayton Sect. IEEE; Aerosp. & Electron. Syst. Soc. (AEES) IEEE
Conference Date: 10-12 Oct. 2000 Conference Location: Dayton, OH, USA
Language: English
Abstract: A quasi-two dimensional model for single gate silicon on insulator (SOI) Metal Oxide Semiconductor Field Effect Transistors (MOSFETs) is presented. Major small geometry effects such as carrier velocity saturation, mobility degradation due to normal field, channel length modulation, and drain induced barrier lowering are included. The effects of parasitic bipolar transistor, impact ionization, and device self heating due to low thermal conductivity of buried oxide layer is also included. The device carrier mobility and threshold voltage are modeled as function of temperature. The effects of source, drain, and channel resistances are considered. Modeled results are then compared to measured data and are shown to be in good agreement over a wide range of operating voltages.

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6353067 INSPEC Abstract Number: B1999-10-2560R-079
Title: Transconductance oscillations in metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistors with thin silicon-on-insulator originated by quantized energy levels
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Language: English
Abstract: Transconductance oscillations have been observed in

silicon-on-insulator metal -oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistors with the separation by implanted oxygen technology at 39 K. Here, we demonstrate that the origin of the oscillations is attributed to a terrace structure of the buried oxide surface. The terrace results in different thicknesses of the active Si layer. Quantized energy levels at the thin Si layer are higher than those at the thicker one. These different energy levels act as barriers for carriers moving in the channel. The observed transconductance oscillations are well reproduced by fitting the effective terrace periodicity.

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6284456 INSPEC Abstract Number: B1999-08-2560R-036
Title: High-performance accumulated back-interface dynamic threshold SOI MOSFET (AB-DTMOS) with large body effect at low supply voltage
Author(s): Takamiya, M.; Saraya, T.; Tran Ngoc Duyet; Yasuda, Y.; Hiramoto, T.

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Journal: Japanese Journal of Applied Physics, Part 1 (Regular Papers, Short Notes & Review Papers) Conference Title: Jpn. J. Appl. Phys. 1, Regul. Pap. Short Notes Rev. Pap. (Japan) vol.38, no.4B p.2483-6

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Conference Title: Proceedings of the 1998 International Conference on Solid State Devices and Materials (SSDM'98)
Conference Date: 7-10 Sept. 1998 Conference Location: Hiroshima, Japan

Language: English
Abstract: A high-performance accumulated back-interface dynamic threshold silicon-on-insulator metal -oxide-semiconductor field effect transistor (AB-DTMOS) with a large body effect at low supply voltage ($V_{dd} < 0.5$ V) is proposed for low-power applications. In AB-DTMOS, the back

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interface between the non-doped thin SOI and the buried oxide is accumulated by a large negative substrate bias, and the gate electrode is connected to this electrically induced body. AB-DTMOS realizes an ideal low/ultrahigh step channel profile electrically and achieves the maximum body effect. At fixed V_{dd} , the body effect factor (gamma) of AB-DTMOS is twice as large as that of the conventional uniformly doped channel DTMOS, because the channel depletion layer width of AB-DTMOS is half that of the conventional DTMOS. Experimental results show a steep subthreshold slope, a high current drive due to a large V_{dd} /shift, and a suppressed short channel effect.

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6284414 INSPEC Abstract Number: B1999-08-2560R-033
Title: Buried layer engineering to reduce the drain-induced barrier lowering of sub-0.05 μm SOI-MOSFET

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Journal: Japanese Journal of Applied Physics, Part 1 (Regular Papers, Short Notes & Review Papers) Conference Title: Jpn. J. Appl. Phys. 1, Regul. Pap. Short Notes Rev. Pap. (Japan) vol.38, no.4B p.2294-9

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Material Identity Number: F221-1999-010
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Conference Date: 7-10 Sept. 1998 Conference Location: Hiroshima, Japan

Language: English
Abstract: The influence of the buried layer structure on the drain-induced barrier lowering (DIBL) is investigated for a silicon-on-insulator metal-oxide-silicon field-effect-transistor (SOI-MOSFET) by a two-dimensional device simulator. The buried layer thickness and the dielectric constant of the buried layer are varied systematically. It is found that the degradation on the threshold voltage can be separated into two components. One component originates from the electric flux via the SOI layer and the other via the buried layer. The buried insulator engineering which controls the thickness and the dielectric constant of the buried layer is effective in reducing the latter component. The gate length limit can be reduced by 23% by the buried air gap structure where the dielectric constant of the buried layer is 1.0.

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5909213 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9806-2560R-044

Title: SOI MOSFET with buried body strap by wafer bonding
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 Author Affiliation: Center for Integrated Syst., Stanford Univ., CA, USA
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 Language: English
 Abstract: Although the **buried oxide** in the silicon-on-insulator (SOI) MOSFET makes possible higher performance circuits, it is also responsible for various floating body effects, including the kink effect, **drain** current transients, and history dependence of output characteristics. It is difficult to incorporate an effective contact to the body because of limitations imposed by the SOI structure. One candidate, which maintains device symmetry, is the lateral body contact. However, high lateral body resistance makes the contact effective only in narrow width devices. In this work, a buried lateral body contact in SOI is described which consists of a low-resistance polysilicon strap running under the MOSFET body along the device width. MOSFET's with effective **channel** length of 0.17 μ m have been fabricated incorporating this buried body strap, showing improved breakdown characteristics. Low leakage of the source and **drain** junctions demonstrates that the buried strap is compatible with deep submicron devices. Device modeling and analysis are used to quantify the effect of strap resistance on device performance. By accounting for the lateral resistance of the body, the model can be used to determine the maximum allowable device width, given the requirement of maintaining an adequate body contact.

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5763184 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9801-2560R-031
 Title: An analytical symmetric double-gate silicon-on-insulator metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect-transistor model
 Author(s): Sheng-Lyang Jang; Man-Chun Hu; Shau-Shen Liu
 Author Affiliation: Nat. Taiwan Univ. of Sci. & Technol., Taipei, China
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 Material Identity Number: F221-97019
 Language: English
 Abstract: A new complete and analytical **drain** current model for symmetric double-gate silicon-on-insulator metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect-transistors (SOI MOSFETs) is presented. The model applicable for digital/analog circuit simulation contains the following advanced features: precise description of the subthreshold, near threshold and above-threshold regions of operation by one single expression;

considering the source/drain resistance; inclusion of important short-channel effects such as velocity saturation, drain induced barrier lowering and channel length modulation; self-heating effect due to the low thermal conductivity of the buried oxide; impact-ionization of MOS devices and parasitic bipolar junction transistor associated with drain breakdown. It was developed using a quasi-two-dimensional Poisson equation.

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5611311 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9708-2560R-002

Title: An analytical fully-depleted silicon-on-insulator metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect-transistor model considering the effects of self-heating, source/drain resistance, impact-ionization, and parasitic bipolar junction transistor

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CODEN: JAPNDE ISSN: 0021-4922

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Language: English

Abstract: This paper presents a simple, complete, and analytical drain current model for submicrometer silicon-on-insulator metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect-transistor (SOI MOSFET). The model applicable for digital/analog circuit simulation contains the following advanced features: precise description of the subthreshold, near threshold, and above-threshold regions of operation by one single expression; precise description of I-V and G-V characteristics in the saturation region; single-piece drain current equation smoothly continuous from the linear region to saturation region; considering the source/drain resistance; inclusion of important short channel effects such as velocity saturation, drain induced barrier lowering and channel length modulation; self-heating effect due to the low thermal conductivity of the buried oxide; impact-ionization of MOS devices and the parasitic bipolar junction transistor (BJT) effect associated with drain breakdown. The model predicts that the parasitic resistances are important for submicron and deep submicron SOI MOS devices, the effects of impact-ionization and parasitic BJT are important in saturation region at small gate source voltage $V(GF)/sub 1/$ and self-heating effect is important in saturation region at large $V/sub GF/$. The present model agrees well with experimental results of various dimensions.

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5484803 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9703-2560R-020
 Title: Deep sub-micron SOI MOSFET with buried body strap
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 Author Affiliation: Center for Integrated Syst., Stanford Univ., CA, USA
 Conference Title: 1996 IEEE International SOI Conference Proceedings
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 Publication Date: 1996 Country of Publication: USA xvi+171 pp.
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 Conference Title: 1996 IEEE International SOI Conference Proceedings
 Conference Sponsor: IEEE Electron Devices Soc
 Conference Date: 30 Sept.-3 Oct. 1996 Conference Location: Sanibel Island, FL, USA
 Language: English
 Abstract: Reports on the implementation of a substrate contact in SOI consisting of a low resistance polysilicon strap within the buried oxide which contacts the SOI layer from the bottom. The efficacy of this buried strap is demonstrated in the grounded body SOI MOSFET. Various implementations of body contacts for SOI MOSFETs have been reported to alleviate problems associated with the floating body, such as the well-known kink and parasitic bipolar breakdown effects. The lateral body contact, which maintains device source/drain symmetry, has traditionally been limited in its effectiveness by the high resistance of the path that holes must travel laterally under the gate in order to reach the side contact. In this work, an effective lateral body contact, made possible by wafer bonding and etchback techniques, is demonstrated in deep sub-micron MOSFETs.
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5336974 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9609-2560R-035
 Title: Buried-gate oxide thinning during epitaxial lateral overgrowth for dual-gated metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistors
 Author(s): Watts, J.S.; Neudeck, G.W.
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 Journal: Journal of Vacuum Science & Technology B (Microelectronics and Nanometer Structures) vol.14, no.3 p.1670-4
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 Publication Date: May-June 1996 Country of Publication: USA
 CODEN: JVTBD9 ISSN: 0734-211X
 SICI: 0734-211X(199605/06)14:3L.1670:BGOT;1-E
 Material Identity Number: C067-96005
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 Language: English
 Abstract: During epitaxial lateral overgrowth of single-crystal silicon over thermal SiO₂/sub 2/, in the low-pressure chemical vapor deposition reactor environment, thinning and even pinholes can occur in the underlying gate oxide of in dual-gated silicon on insulator metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistors (MOSFETs). The epitaxial

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lateral overgrowth was grown using dichlorosilane (DCS), HCl, and H₂ at 970 degrees C and 40 Torr. Although the etch rate was very small, the thinning was large enough to change the bottom channel threshold voltage (V_t). Oxide thickness measurements, obtained by ellipsometry and by profilometer measurements, indicated an etch rate of about 0.1 nm/min, which was independently confirmed from MOSFET V_t shift measurements. The oxide etch rate decreased with increasing concentration of HCl and was less for oxides grown from heavily arsenic-doped than from lightly doped boron silicon.

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5258289 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9606-2560R-092
Title: Comparison of standard and low-dose separation-by-implanted-oxygen substrates for 0.15 μm SOI MOSFET applications
Author(s): Joachim, H.-O.; Yamaguchi, Y.; Fujino, T.; Kato, T.; Inoue, Y.; Hirao, T.
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Publication Date: Feb. 1996 Country of Publication: Japan
CODEN: JAPNDE ISSN: 0021-4922
SICI: 0021-4922(199602)35:2BL.983:CSDS;1-J
Material Identity Number: C579-96005
Conference Title: 1995 International Conference on Solid State Devices and Materials (SSDM '95)
Conference Date: 21-24 Aug. 1995 Conference Location: Osaka, Japan

Language: English
Abstract: The influence of buried oxide thickness on short-channel effects in silicon-on-insulator metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistors (SOI MOSFETs) is investigated. It is shown by analytical modeling and numerical simulation that, although a thin buried oxide helps to reduce the charge-sharing component of source and drain electric fields through the oxide layer, substrate depletion underneath the thin buried oxide counteracts the oxide thinning. Although this effect is desired below the source and drain regions to maintain the SOI inherent low junction capacitances, it is detrimental to short-channel-effect suppression. The calculated results are experimentally confirmed on 0.1 μm SOI MOSFET's fabricated on both standard and low-dose separation-by-implanted-oxygen (SIMOX) substrates. A new structure for 0.15 μm SOI MOSFET applications on a thin buried oxide substrate is proposed in which substrate depletion below the channel-forming region can be suppressed locally using self-aligned deep ion implantation.

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5248793 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9606-2560R-011
 Title: Fully depleted dual-gated thin-film SOI p-MOSFET with an isolated buried polysilicon backgate
 Author(s): Denton, J.P.; Neudeck, G.W.
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Conference Title: 1995 IEEE International SOI Conference Proceedings
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Publisher: IEEE, New York, NY, USA
 Publication Date: 1995 Country of Publication: USA xiv+183 pp.

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Conference Title: 1995 IEEE International SOI Conference Proceedings

Conference Sponsor: IEEE Electron. Devices Soc

Conference Date: 3-5 Oct. 1995 Conference Location: Tucson, AZ, USA

Language: English

Abstract: A p-channel Dual-Gated Thin-Film Silicon-on-insulator (DG-TFSOI) MOSFET has been fabricated with an isolated buried polysilicon backgate and is in a SOI island. This structure allows individual operation of each backgate of each device, rather than the present common backgate (substrate) structure. The ability to use a individual buried gate to dynamically shift the threshold voltage of each individual top MOSFET may have significant implications for low power circuits and offers a way to boost drive currents for faster switching. By using Epitaxial Lateral Overgrowth (ELO) the bottom thermal buried oxide can be specified to any thickness.

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5093323 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9512-1265D-013, C9512-5320G-006
 Title: Design and performance of a new flash EEPROM on SOI(SIMOX) substrates

Author(s): Zaleski, A.; Ioannou, D.E.; Flandre, D.; Colinge, J.P.
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Conference Title: 1994 IEEE International SOI Conference Proceedings
 (Cat. No.94CH35722) p.13-14

Publisher: IEEE, New York, NY, USA
 Publication Date: 1994 Country of Publication: USA xi+137 pp.

ISBN: 0 7803 2407 2 Conference Title: Proceedings of 1994 IEEE International SOI Conference

Conference Sponsor: Electron Devices Soc. IEEE
 Conference Date: 3-6 Oct. 1994 Conference Location: Nantucket, MA, USA

Language: English

Abstract: A new flash EEPROM cell and a novel erasing scheme on SOI substrates are reported. This flash EEPROM cell incorporates two separate control gates, located on opposite sides of the silicon film. One is a conventional control gate fabricated on top of the film as in bulk cells. The second control gate is the back gate itself, which is located underneath the silicon film and is inherent to all SOI MOSFET structures. As usual, the front control gate is used to WRITE the cell. By contrast, the back control gate is used to ERASE the cell in a new erasing scheme arrangement. In this scheme the back

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gate and the drain are used to invert the back channel and operate it in the impact ionization regime, such as to produce electron/hole pairs. Most of the generated electrons flow into the drain and some are injected into the back (buried) oxide. The holes, however, are accelerated towards the front gate, and many are finally injected into the floating gate, sandwiched between the front gate dioxide and front control gate. A prototype flash EEPROM cell was fabricated using a standard 1-metal, 1-poly CMOS SOI process and tested for concept proof. The cell was programmed via avalanche channel hot-electron injection from the drain pinch-off region, same as in bulk cells.

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04941833 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9506-2560R-017
Title: Two-dimensional analytical modeling of the source/drain engineering influence on short-channel effects in SOI MOSFET's
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Journal: Japanese Journal of Applied Physics, Part 1 (Regular Papers & Short Notes) vol. 34, no. 2B p.822-6
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CODEN: JAPNDE ISSN: 0021-4922
Conference Title: 1994 International Conference on Solid State Devices and Materials (SSDM '94)
Conference Date: 23-26 Aug. 1994 Conference Location: Kanagawa, Japan

Language: English
Abstract: The scaling of the metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistor (MOSFET) into the deep-submicron regime increases the influence of source/drain engineering, e.g., the use of a lightly doped source and drain (LDD) structure, on the transistor subthreshold characteristics due to the two-dimensional potential distribution. Device parameters like the subthreshold slope (S-factor) and the threshold voltage may become dependent on the LDD conditions. This paper presents a theoretical analysis of how source/drain conditions affect the short-channel behavior of fully depleted silicon-on-insulator (SOI) MOSFET's. Accurate two-dimensional analytical modeling which takes into account the non-linear potential variation inside the buried oxide helps elucidate the mechanisms involved. The results, supported by numerical device simulation, indicate that for a correct description in addition to the different built-in potential of the source and drain junctions, an increasing effective channel length with LDD doping reduction must be taken into account.

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04225007 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9210-2560R-013
Title: Thermal time constants in SOI-MOSFETs

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 Publication Date: 1991 Country of Publication: USA xxii+183 pp.
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 Conference Sponsor: IEEE
 Conference Date: 1-3 Oct. 1991 Conference Location: Vail Valley, CO,

USA
 Language: English
 Abstract: The authors present detailed theoretical considerations and a first-order analytical model for the dynamical behavior of self heating in SOIMOS (silicon-on-insulator metal oxide semiconductor). They show the results of the simulated spreading of heat when switching a SOIMOS in the on-state. At least four different time constants can be detected: spreading vertically through the channel region within about 100 ps; passing gate oxide and heating the polygate within 10 ns; heating up S/D-regions and buried oxide within 1 μs; and at about 1 ms heat energy reaches the substrate. The effects showing temperature rise vs. time in the channel and at backside interface are summarized. It is concluded that, in pulsed measurements of SOIMOS output characteristics, a pulse length of 10 ns will already produce an elevated temperature on the order of 10% of the steady-state value.

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 04038521 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9201-2560R-034
 Title: Noise overshoot at drain current kink in SOI
 MOSFET
 Author(s): Chen, J.; Fang, P.; Ko, P.K.; Hu, C.; Solomon, R.; Chan, T.-Y.
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 Publication Date: 1990 Country of Publication: USA vi+178 pp.
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 U.S. Copyright Clearance Center Code: CH2891-0/90/0000-0040\$01.00
 Conference Sponsor: IEEE
 Conference Date: 2-4 Oct. 1990 Conference Location: Key West, FL, USA
 Language: English
 Abstract: The bias dependence of the drain current noise power of SOI (silicon-on-insulator) MOSFETs was studied, and low frequency noise overshoot at the drain current was observed. The overshoot has a width of about 0.7 V and exhibits a peak noise power which is two orders of magnitude higher than the normal noise level. The SOI devices used in this study were N-channel polysilicon gate MOSFETs on SIMOX (separation by implantation of oxygen) wafers fabricated with conventional submicron CMOS technology. The SOI film thickness, the buried-oxide thickness, and the gate oxide are 100 nm, 300 nm, and 11.5 nm, respectively. A computer-controlled test system was used to

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conduct the I-V and noise measurement automatically. A model explaining the occurrence of the noise overshoot and the noise peak is proposed.

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7097937 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2002-01-2560R-019
 Title: Advanced SOI MOSFET's with strained-Si/SiGe heterostructures
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 Journal: IEICE Transactions on Electronics Conference Title: IEICE Trans. Electron. (Japan) vol.E84-C, no.10 p.1423-30
 Publisher: Inst. Electron. Inf. & Commun. Eng,
 Publication Date: Oct. 2001 Country of Publication: Japan
 CODEN: IELEPJ ISSN: 0916-8524
 SICI: 0916-8524(200110)E84C:10L.1423:AMWS;1-0
 Material Identity Number: P712-2001-010
 Conference Title: Joint Special Issue on Heterostructure Microelectronics with TWHM 2000 (Topical Workshop on heterostructure microelectronics 2000)
 Conference Date: 20-23 Aug. 2000 Conference Location: Kyoto, Japan
 Language: English
 Abstract: We have developed advanced SOI n- and p-MOSFETs with strained-Si channel on insulator (strained SOI) structure fabricated by SIMOX (separation-by-implanted oxygen) technology. The characteristics of this strained-SOI substrate and electrical properties of strained-SOI MOSFETs have been experimentally studied. Using strained-Si/relaxed-SiGe epitaxy technology and the usual SIMOX process, we have successfully formed a layered structure of fully-strained-Si (20 nm)/fully relaxed-SiGe film (290 nm) on uniform buried oxide layer (85 nm) inside the SiGe layer. Good drain current characteristics have been obtained in strained-SOI MOSFETs. It is found that both electron and hole mobility is enhanced in strained-SOI MOSFETs, compared to the universal mobility in an inversion layer and the mobility of control SOI MOSFETs. These mobility enhancement factors are almost the same as the theoretical results.
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6677752 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2000-09-2560R-127
 Title: The ground-plane concept for the reduction of short-channel effects in fully-depleted SOI devices
 Author(s): Ernst, T.; Cristoloveanu, S.
 Author Affiliation: Lab. de Phys. des Composants a Semicond., ENSERG, Grenoble, France
 Conference Title: Proceedings of the Ninth International Symposium on Silicon-on-Insulator Technology and Devices. (Electrochemical Society Proceedings Vol.99-3) p.329-34
 Editor(s): Hemment, P.L.F.; Cristoloveanu, S.; Houston, T.W.; Izumi, K.; Hovel, H.
 Publisher: Electrochem. Soc, Pennington, NJ, USA
 Publication Date: 1999 Country of Publication: USA x+374 pp.
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Conference Title: Proceedings of Silicon-on Insulator Technology and Devices

Conference Sponsor: Electron. Soc

Conference Date: 2-7 May 1999 Conference Location: Seattle, WA, USA

Language: English

Abstract: The short-channel effects in sub-0.1 μ m fully-depleted SOI MOSFET devices involve not only charge sharing in the film but also fringing fields in the buried oxide and in the substrate. A possible solution, namely the use of a ground plane, is proposed, and compared to more conventional approaches. The influence of the source and drain coupling under the body on the subthreshold slope, back-channel conduction, drain-induced barrier lowering (DIBL) and charge sharing is simulated. The benefits of low resistance substrates and thin buried oxides are also examined.

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6582531 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2000-06-2560R-033

Title: Buried oxide fringing capacitance: a new physical model and its implication on SOI device scaling and architecture

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Conference Title: 1999 IEEE International SOI Conference. Proceedings (Cat. No.99CH36345) p.38-9

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Publication Date: 1999 Country of Publication: USA ix+138 pp.

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Conference Title: 1999 IEEE International SOI Conference. Proceedings

Conference Sponsor: IEEE Electron Devices Soc

Conference Date: 4-7 Oct. 1999 Conference Location: Rohnert Park, CA, USA

Language: English

Abstract: Fringing fields into the buried oxide and substrate depletion region stand as a key limiting factor for SOI MOSFET channel length reduction beyond 0.1 μ m. In fully-depleted (FD) SOI transistors, they cause a strong DIBL enhancement and a parasitic back channel conduction. On the other hand, in partially-depleted (PD) devices, the back channel control is even more difficult. The understanding and modeling of this phenomenon is of major interest, especially for RF SOI applications on high resistivity substrates where the depleted substrates behave as dielectrics. Various solutions to reduce these drawbacks are envisaged, such as buried oxide shrinking or double gate devices (Colinge, 1997; Cristoloveanu and Li, 1995). Thus far, the fringing field effect was ignored or merely included in FD analytical models by use of adjustable parameters. This paper presents a simple physical model for the evaluation of short channel effects induced by the BOX and substrate depletion. We analyze the lateral drain field penetration in the BOX and substrate, and calculate the related fringing capacitances. The model serves to anticipate the buried oxide scaling and substrate resistivity effects and to suggest the "ground plane" (GP) concept (Ernst and Cristoloveanu, 1999; Wong et al, 1998) as a suitable architecture for deep sub-micron SOI MOSFETs.

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6549639 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2000-05-2560R-049
Title: Monte Carlo simulation of conductance characteristics in SOI-MOSFET

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Conference Title: Eleventh International Conference on Nonequilibrium Carrier Dynamics in Semiconductors. HCIS-11
Conference Sponsor: IUPAP; Phys. Soc. Japan; Japan Soc. Appl. Phys.; IEEE Electron. Devices Soc. Tokyo

Conference Date: 19-23 July 1999 Conference Location: Kyoto, Japan

Language: English
Abstract: Front- and back-channel drain-conductance characteristics of SOI-MOSFETs are calculated by performing a Monte Carlo simulation, and the calculated results are compared with the experimental results of Perron et al. (Proceedings of the ESSDERC '98, 1998, p. 284) in order to extract the roughness parameters of the two interfaces. Effect of image charge in oxide layers in SOI structures is also discussed.

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6540358 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2000-05-2560R-008
Title: The behavior of narrow-width SOI MOSFETs with MESA isolation

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Language: English
Abstract: Narrow-width effects in thin-film silicon on insulator (SOI) MOSFETs with MESA isolation technology have been studied theoretically and experimentally. As the channel width of the

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MOSFET is scaled down, the gate control of the channel potential is enhanced. It leads to the suppression of drain current dependence on substrate bias and punchthrough effect in narrow-width devices. The variation of threshold voltage with the channel width is also studied and is found to have a strong dependence on thickness of silicon film, interface charges in the buried oxide and channel type of SOI MOSFETs.

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6479262 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2000-03-2560R-011
Title: An analytical model for fully depleted single gate SOI MOS transistors including lattice temperature effects
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Journal: International Journal of Electronics vol.87, no.2 p.129-36
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Language: English
Abstract: An analytical model for fully depleted SOI MOSFETs is presented. Major small geometry effects such as carrier velocity saturation, mobility degradation, channel length modulation, and drain induced barrier lowering are included. Device self heating due to low thermal conductivity of a buried oxide layer is included in carrier mobility modelling. Thermal effects are also included in the threshold voltage expression. Source, drain, and channel resistance effects are also included. Modelled results are then compared to available measured data and are shown to be in very good agreement.

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6379244 INSPEC Abstract Number: B1999-11-2560R-054
Title: Exploration of velocity overshoot in a high-performance deep sub-0.1- μ m SOI MOSFET with asymmetric channel profile
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Abstract: The electron velocity overshoot phenomenon in the inversion layer is experimentally investigated using a novel thin-film silicon-on-insulator (SOI) test structure with channel lengths down to $0.08 \mu\text{m}$. The uniformity of the carrier density and tangential field is realized by employing a lateral asymmetric channel (LAC) profile. The electron drift velocity observed in this work is $9.5 \times 10^6 \text{ cm/s}$ for a device with $L/\text{eff} = 0.08 \mu\text{m}$ at 300 K . The upward trend in electron velocity can be clearly noticed for decreasing channel lengths.

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6262043 INSPEC Abstract Number: B1999-07-2560R-025
Title: A new structure design of a silicon-on-insulator MOSFET reducing the self-heating effect

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Material Identity Number: I097-1999-006

Language: English

Abstract: A new silicon-on-insulator (SOI) device structure is proposed. The new design provides a heat conducting path between the channel and substrate. The device has been verified in two-dimensional device simulation. This new structure reduces device self-heating and increases the drain current of the SOI MOSFET.

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6112961 INSPEC Abstract Number: A9903-7340Q-001, B9902-2560R-001
Title: Hot-carrier effects in thin-film deep submicron SOI/MOSFET

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Abstract: Starting with a 2D simulation of hot-carrier injection current, we have discussed the influence of different silicon film thickness, gate oxide thickness and substrate doping on the hot-carrier effects of thin-film deep submicron SOT/MOSFET. Simulation results indicate that

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for different film thickness, the carrier concentration in front channel near the drain has different influence on the hot-carrier effects, sometimes the influence is decisive. Previous conflicting reports concerning SOI device hot-carrier effects may result from ignoring the influence of the carrier concentration on the hot-carrier effects. The simulation also indicates that there is a thickness range (60-100 nm), in which the hot-carrier effects is week and insensitive to the thickness. Furthermore, in this range, the hot-carrier effects is independent of gate oxide thickness and substrate doping. These is helpful to the design of high reliability thin-film submicron SOI/MOSFET.

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5919495 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9806-2560R-077
Title: Source/drain engineering with Ge large angle tilt implantation and pre-amorphization to improve current drive and alleviate floating body effects of thin film SOI MOSFETs
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Conference Title: 27th European Solid-State Device Research Conference (ESSDERC '97)
Conference Date: 22-24 Sept. 1997 Conference Location: Stuttgart, Germany

Language: English
Abstract: This work presents an advanced salicide technology for thin film silicon-on-insulator (SOI) MOSFETs. Germanium large angle tilt implantation is applied to amorphize the silicon films prior to silicidation. This novel salicide technology greatly reduces the silicide formation energy and effectively controls the silicide depth. As a result source/drain parasitic resistances are substantially reduced. In addition, due to the formation of a metal-semiconductor barrier near the source/channel junction, the floating body effects are alleviated.

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5598619 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9707-2560R-057
Title: 0.18- μ m fully-depleted silicon-on-insulator MOSFET's
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Abstract: High-performance 0.18- μ m gate-length fully depleted silicon-on-insulator (FD-SOI) MOSFET's were fabricated using 4-nm gate oxide, 35-nm thick channel, and 80-nm or 150-nm buried oxide layer. An elevated source/drain structure was used to provide extra silicon during silicide formation, resulting in low source/drain series resistance. Nominal device drive currents of 560 μ A/ μ m and 340 μ A/ μ m were achieved for n-channel and p-channel devices, respectively, at a supply voltage of 1.8 V. Improved short-channel performance and reduced self-heating were observed for devices with thinner buried oxide layers.

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5523058 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9704-2560R-035

Title: Reduction of the reverse short channel effect in thick SOI MOSFET's
Author(s): Tsoukalas, D.; Tsamis, C.; Kouvatsos, D.N.; Revva, P.; Tsoi,

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Abstract: We show that the reverse short channel effect (RSCE) is reduced in NMOS devices made in thick silicon-on-insulator (SOI) material. The reduction of the RSCE depends on the thickness of the Si overlayer. It is found that the thinner the Si film, the less the threshold voltage roll-on. The experimental findings are explained by a decrease of the lateral distribution of silicon interstitials generated at the source and drain (S/D) region and are related with their high recombination velocity at the buried oxide. This method can be used to separately test the influence of S/D point defects on the RSCE from other different hypotheses reported in the literature. Coupled process-device simulation reveals that the method is very sensitive to fundamental point defect properties.

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5368582 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9610-2560R-064

Title: Suppressing the parasitic bipolar action of ultra-thin SOI MOSFET's using back-side-bias-temperature treatment
 Author(s): Koizumi, H.; Shimaya, M.; Tsuchiya, T.
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 Conference Title: 1996 IEEE International Reliability Physics Proceedings, 34th Annual (Cat. No.96CH38525) p.27-32
 Publisher: IEEE, New York, NY, USA
 Publication Date: 1996 Country of Publication: USA vi+396 pp.
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 Conference Title: Proceedings of International Reliability Physics Symposium
 Conference Sponsor: IEEE Electron Devices Soc.; IEEE Reliability Soc
 Conference Date: 30 April-2 May 1996 Conference Location: Dallas, TX, USA
 Language: English
 Abstract: A new suppression method for parasitic bipolar action is presented for fully depleted surface-channel nMOSFET's on SOI by using the back-side-bias-temperature (BSBT) treatment technique. This method improves subthreshold characteristics, source-drain breakdown voltage, and hot-carrier instability without degrading device characteristics. BSBT treatment can suppress the parasitic bipolar action regardless of stress bias polarity. BSBT damage to the back-side interface between buried oxide and active silicon layer was investigated using several methods. The suppression mechanism proposed is the generation of fixed charges and interface traps at the back-side interface.

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5093338 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9512-2560R-037
 Title: Series resistance at metal contact for thin film SOI MOSFET
 Author(s): Chang-Bong Oh; Jonghyon Ahn; Sucheon Lee; Young-Wug Kim; Donghyun Kim; Bonggi Kim
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 Publication Date: 1994 Country of Publication: USA xi+137 pp.
 ISBN: 0 7803 2407 2
 Conference Title: Proceedings of 1994 IEEE International SOI Conference
 Conference Sponsor: Electron Devices Soc. IEEE
 Conference Date: 3-6 Oct. 1994 Conference Location: Nantucket, MA, USA
 Language: English
 Abstract: Thin-film silicon-on-insulator (TFSOI) MOSFET has emerged as a strong candidate for high performance, high density and latch-up free CMOS devices with less fabrication steps. Thin silicon film should be used to achieve good behavior in SOI MOSFET. However, most of the papers on TFSOI have reported high parasitic source/drain series resistance and contact resistance, which tends to obscure the performance advantages of SOI. In this paper, we examined effects of top silicon film thickness (T_{Si}) on contact series resistance and contact hole etching method.

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4907169 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9505-2560R-006
Title: Scaling constraints imposed by self-heating in submicron SOI
MOSFET's
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Language: English
Abstract: The presence of a buried **oxide layer** in silicon causes enhanced self-heating in Silicon-On-Insulator (SOI) **n-channel** MOSFETs. The self-heating becomes more pronounced as device dimensions are reduced into the submicron regime because of increased electric field density and reduced silicon volume available for heat removal. Two-dimensional numerical simulations are used to show that self-heating manifests itself in the form of degraded drive current due to mobility reduction and premature breakdown. The heat flow equation was consistently solved with the classical semiconductor equations to study the effect of power dissipation on carrier transport. The simulated temperature increases in the **channel** region are shown to be in close agreement with recently measured data. Numerical simulation results also demonstrated accelerated turn-on of the parasitic bipolar transistor due to self-heating. Simulation results were used to identify scaling constraints caused by the parasitic bipolar transistor turn-on effect in SOI CMOS ULSI. For a quarter-micron **n-channel** SOI **MOSFET**, results suggest a maximum power supply of 1.8 V. In the deep submicron regime, SOI devices exhibited a negative differential resistance due to increased self-heating with **drain** bias voltage. Detailed comparison with bulk devices suggested significant reduction in the **drain-source** avalanche breakdown voltage due to increased carrier injection at the source-body junction.
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4669270 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9406-2560R-082
Title: Modeling of **edge** threshold voltage of mesa-isolated **n-channel** MOSFETs on fully-depleted thin film SOI
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Journal: Solid-State Electronics vol.37, no.7 p.1449-52
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Language: English
 Abstract: In silicon-on-insulator (SOI) technology, the non-active regions can be eliminated by thorough etch-out of the Si film, which results in the mesa-shaped Si film islands on the insulator and each device is fabricated on these individual islands. Therefore, the lateral isolation between devices is nearly ideal, but the island edge effects are inevitable. Higher positive fixed charge on the sidewalls along with low doping can lead to a smaller turn-on voltage for the parasitic sidewall MOSFETs compared with the front channel MOSFET. The early turn-on of the sidewall transistor shows up as a hump in the subthreshold characteristics of the whole device and can result in excessive subthreshold leakage. Although several investigations about the edge effects of SOI MOSFET have been reported, they are confined only to the physical analyses for the edge effects, and, moreover, the edge threshold voltage model is given only for the case of partially depleted thick film SOI MOSFETs. In this paper, we study the edge effects of mesa-isolated, fully-depleted, n-channel MOSFETs fabricated on thin film SOI and suggest an analytical edge threshold voltage model.

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04367884 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9304-2560R-079
 Title: Floating-body effect free concave SOI-MOSFETs (COSMOS)
 Author(s): Hieda, K.; Takedai, S.; Takahashi, M.; Yoshimi, M.; Takato, H.
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 Conference Title: International Electron Devices Meeting 1991. Technical
 Digest (Cat. No. 91CH3075-9) p.667-70
 Publisher: IEEE, New York, NY, USA 977 pp.
 Publication Date: 1991 Country of Publication: USA
 ISBN: 0 7803 0243 5 U.S. Copyright Clearance Center Code: CH3075-9/91/0000-0667\$1.00
 Conference Sponsor: IEEE Conference Location: Washington, DC,
 Conference Date: 8-11 Dec. 1991

USA

Language: English
 Abstract: In order to overcome the degradation induced by floating body effects and to suppress the increase in parasitic source/drain resistances in thin-film silicon-on-insulator (SOI) MOSFETs, a concave SOI-MOSFET (COSMOS) is proposed. This structure realizes a partially thin-film SOI region, which is used as a fully depleted channel, and thick-film SOI regions, which are used as source/drain. The unique features of the COSMOS are found to be (1) elimination of the floating-body effects, (2) less short channel effect, (3) excellent subthreshold characteristics, and (4) reduction in parasitic source/drain resistances.

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 04261630 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9212-1265D-003

Title: Low-power and high-stability SRAM technology using a laser-recrystallized p-channel SOI MOSFET

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Journal: IEEE Transactions on Electron Devices vol.39, no.9 p.

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Language: English

Abstract: Laser recrystallization of p-channel SOI MOSFETs on an undulated insulating layer is demonstrated for SRAMs with low power and high stability. Self-aligned p-channel SOI MOSFETs for loads are stacked over bottom n-channel bulk MOSFETs for both drivers and transfer gates. A sufficient laser power assures the same leakage currents between SOI MOSFETs fabricated on an undulated insulating layer in memory cell regions and on an even insulating layer in field regions. The on/off ratio of the SOI MOSFETs is increased by a factor of 10⁴, and the source-drain leakage current is decreased by a factor of 10-10² compared with those of polysilicon thin-film transistors (TFTs) fabricated by using low-temperature regrowth of amorphous silicon. A test 256-kb SRAM fabricated this technology shows improved stand-by power dissipation and cell stability. The process steps can be decreased to 83% of those TFT load SRAMs if both the peripheral circuit and memory cells are made with p-channel SOI and n-channel bulk MOSFETs.

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04175790 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9208-2560R-003

Title: Single-transistor-latch-induced degradation of front- and back-channel thin-film SOI transistors

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Journal: IEEE Electron Device Letters vol.13, no.5 p.282-4

Publication Date: May 1992 Country of Publication: USA

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Language: English

Abstract: The front- and back-channel transistor characteristics in thin-film silicon-on-insulator (SOI) MOSFETs have been studied before and after front-channel hot-carrier stress resulting from single-transistor latch. This stress causes the following significant changes: (a) a reduction of the front-channel current for a given gate voltage, (b) an increase in front-channel drain-source breakdown voltage when measured in the reverse mode, and (c) a decrease in the back-channel transconductance. These changes can be attributed to the hot-carrier induced interface traps on both front and back interfaces near the drain junction.

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03332031 INSPEC Abstract Number: B89023601
 Title: Transconductance enhancement mechanisms in ultra-thin ($\text{cor}=1000 \text{ AA}$) silicon-on-insulator MOSFETs

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 Conference Title: 46th Annual Device Research Conference
 Conference Sponsor: IEEE
 Conference Date: 20-22 June 1988 Conference Location: Boulder, CO, USA
 Language: English

Abstract: Two advantages of ultrathin ($\text{cor}=1000 \text{ AA}$) silicon-on-insulator (SOI) films for MOSFETs that have not previously been reported are described. Compared to bulk FETs of similar dimensions are doping levels, the effects have been observed to give up to 35% increase in drain saturation current or transconductance. Both experimental data and modeling are discussed. It is noted that the kink effect is absent in the ultrathin-film SOI FETs, and that the results were adjusted to account for the difference in threshold voltage in the n-channel bulk and ultrathin-film structures. In general, an increase in saturation current should lead to faster circuits. The experiments and modeling results to date are for long-channel structures only.

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02519297 INSPEC Abstract Number: B85050594
 Title: Transient analysis of drain current in silicon-on-insulator (SOI) MOSFETs
 Author(s): Kato, K.; Wada, T.; Taniguchi, K.
 Author Affiliation: VLSI Res. Center, Toshiba Corp., Kawasaki, Japan
 Conference Title: Extended Abstracts of the 16th (1984 International) Conference on Solid State Devices and Materials p.68-9 supl
 Publisher: Business Centre for Acad. Sci. Japan, Tokyo, Japan
 Publication Date: 1984 Country of Publication: Japan 2 vol. (ix+721+xix+88) pp.
 ISBN: 4 930813 07 7
 Conference Sponsor: Japan Soc. Appl. Phys.; IEEE; Electrochem. Soc. Japan et al

Conference Date: 30 Aug.-1 Sept. 1984 Conference Location: Kobe, Japan
 Language: English
 Abstract: A MOSFET having channel length of 2 μm is fabricated on an SOI substrate in a standard process line. Gate oxide and SOI film thicknesses are 70 nm and 1 μm , respectively. The turn-on drain current overshoots by up to more than twice the steady-state value, and then decreases to a steady-state value in about 200 μsec . The authors developed a rigorous 2-carrier and transient SOI device simulator to analyze the switching characteristics.

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6943576 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2001-07-2560R-031

Title: Fabrication and properties of ultra-short gate length ultra-thin SOI MOSFET's

Author(s): Suzuki, E.; Ishii, K.; Kanemaru, S.

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Conference Title: 4th European Workshop on Low Temperature Electronics.

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Conference Title: Proceedings of Fourth Workshop on Low Temperature Electronics (WOLTE4)

Conference Date: 21-23 June 2000 Conference Location: Noordwijk, Netherlands

Language: English

Abstract: Ultra-short gate length ultra-thin SOI n-MOSFETs using some kinds of SOI wafers have been fabricated and their properties have been investigated. High suppression of the short-channel effect (SCE), e.g. V_{th} roll-off and S-slope degradation, is experimentally shown in the 40-135-nm gate length regime of ultra-thin SOI n-MOSFET's fabricated by using an SOI wafer prepared by the **epitaxial layer transfer** technique. The effectiveness of the ultra-thin SOI layer in preventing the SCE is systematically confirmed. It is also shown that the uniformity and lower roughness of the ultra-thin SOI layer are important for device operation, especially low temperature operation.

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6695921 INSPEC Abstract Number: A2000-20-8115N-001, B2000-10-0520X-008

Title: Growth of epitaxial CoSi₂ for contacts of ultra-thin SOI MOSFETs

Author(s): Sakamoto, K.; Maeda, T.; Hasegawa, M.

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Conference Title: International Joint Conference on Silicon Epitaxy and Heterostructures (IJC-Si)

Conference Date: 12-17 Sept. 1999 Conference Location: Miyagi, Japan

Language: English

Abstract: Epitaxial CoSi₂ growth for source/drain contacts of a ultra-thin silicon on insulator (SOI) MOSFET is discussed. In

order to attain low series resistance, heavily doped Si diffusion layer should be left undepleted under the grown CoSi/sub 2/. Contact resistance between epitaxial CoSi/sub 2/ and n⁺/Si(001) increases when less than 1 nm Co is deposited. A salicide compatible process, forming a thin epitaxial CoSi/sub 2/ template by oxide mediated epitaxy followed by reaction deposition epitaxy to increase thickness, is effective in growing CoSi/sub 2/ epitaxially up to a few tens of nm.

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5886111 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9805-2560R-053

Title: Full-band Monte Carlo investigation of hot carrier trends in the scaling of metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistors

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Journal: IEEE Transactions on Electron Devices vol.45, no.4 p. 867-76

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Abstract: A full-band Monte Carlo (MC) device simulator has been used to study the effects of device scaling on hot electrons in different types of n-channel metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistor (MOSFET) structures. Simulated devices include a conventional MOSFET with a single source/drain implant, a lightly-doped drain (LDD) MOSFET, a silicon-on-insulator (SOI) MOSFET, and a MOSFET built on an epitaxial layer on top of a heavily-doped ground plane.

Different scaling techniques have been applied to the devices, to analyze the effects on the electric field and on the energy distributions of the electrons, as well as on drain, substrate, and gate currents. The results provide a physical basis for understanding the overall behavior of impact ionization and gate oxide injection and how they relate to scaling. The observed nonlocality of transport phenomena and the nontrivial relationship between electric fields and transport parameters indicate that simpler models cannot adequately predict hot carrier behavior at the channel lengths studied (sub-0.3- μm). In addition, our results suggest that below 0.15 μm, the established device configurations (e.g. LDD) that are successful at suppressing the hot carrier population for longer channel lengths, become less useful and their cost-effectiveness for future circuit applications needs to be reevaluated.

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5484799 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9703-2560R-018

Title: Thin-film SOI p-MOSFET from epitaxial lateral overgrowth (ELO) with

a 200 AA nitrided SiO₂/sub 2/ backgate and large Delta V/sub T,top/ Vs V/sub G,back/ for ultra low power

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Conference Title: 1996 IEEE International SOI Conference Proceedings
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Conference Date: 30 Sept.-3 Oct. 1996 Conference Location: Sanibel Island, FL, USA

Language: English

Abstract: To achieve faster circuits with increased circuit density and reduced power, fully depleted (FD) dual-gated (DG) thin-film SOI-MOSFETs with an isolated buried backgate have been fabricated by using epitaxial lateral overgrowth (ELO) into SOI islands. Situated in an SOI island the fully depleted DG SOI MOSFET allows independent operation of both topgate and backgate, which is buried and totally isolated from all other devices. This provides a method to control the threshold voltage change of the top MOSFET with a bias on the backgate for fully-depleted devices. For example, the backgate can switch the top MOSFET to more 'on' for larger drive currents and to more 'off' for lower subthreshold leakage currents.

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04016667 INSPEC Abstract Number: B91077142

Title: An analytical model for snapback in n-channel SOI MOSFET's

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Abstract: An analytical snapback model for n-channel silicon-on-insulator (SOI) transistors with body either tied to the source or floating is been presented. The snapback is modeled as a nonlinear feedback system leading to negative transconductances from which the jump in current can occur at the point of instability. The crux of this model is based on the strong dependence of the transistor threshold voltage on the body potential when the body potential is above the transistor surface potential at strong inversion. No parasitic bipolar action is invoked to account for the snapback phenomena. The model correctly predicts the occurrence of hysteresis/latch phenomena and the conditions under which the current jump occurs despite some gross approximations in the electric field and the injection level. Results obtained from this model show good agreement with experimental data measured from SIMOX devices fabricated on 0.3- μm epi film.

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02594267 INSPEC Abstract Number: B86009163

Title: Deep depleted SOI MOSFETs with back potential control: a numerical simulation

Author(s): Balestra, F.; Brini, J.; Gentil, P.

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Language: English

Abstract: The authors consider **SOI MOSFET** structures (N and P type) for which control of the back potential of the **epi layer** is obtained by using a back gate. The effect of interface parameters on the back and front threshold voltages is analysed in the case of a strong coupling between front and back interface (lightly doped **epi layer**). This analysis is carried out by a numerical integration of Poisson's equation throughout the structure. The authors thus obtain the potential profile and the electron and hole densities, as a function of the applied front (V_{g1}) and back (V_{g2}) gate voltages. They also derive the $I_d(V_{g1}, V_{g2})$ characteristics in the case of low drain voltage. This program allows them to examine the dependence of both front and back threshold voltages on the interfacial parameters. It is also used to examine the validity of the existing analytical models and to interpret experimental results obtained on MOS/SOS transistors.

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02479279 INSPEC Abstract Number: B85040770

Title: Simulation of deep depleted SOI MOSFETs with back potential control

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Conference Title: Proceedings of the 14th European Solid State Device Research Conference, including Solid State Device Technology

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Language: English

Abstract: The authors consider **SOI MOSFET** structures of N and P types for which a control of the back potential of the **epi layer** is obtained by using a back gate. The action of the interface parameters on the back and front threshold voltages is analysed in the case of a strong coupling between the front and back interface (lightly doped **epi layer**). This analysis is carried out by a numerical simulation of Poisson's equation throughout the structure. They thus obtain

the potential profile and the electron and hole densities, as a function of front (V_{g1}) and back (V_{g2}) gate voltages. They also deduce the $I_d(V_{g1}, V_{g2})$ characteristics in the case of low drain voltage. Experimental material is given by CMOS/SOS transistors, the sapphire substrate of which has been locally thinned down. Comparison of the experimental $I_d(V_{g2})$ characteristics with the simulated characteristics allows the authors to determine directly the fast state density and the fixed charge at the back interface.

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7169975 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2002-03-2560R-016
 Title: Gated-diode" configuration in SOI MOSFET's: a sensitive tool for evaluating the quality and reliability of the buried Si/SiO₂/substrate interface
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Abstract: A "gated-diode" configuration in SOI MOSFET's is described, which is particularly suitable and easy to use for characterizing the buried oxide interface. This new approach becomes possible by taking advantage of the front gate, which is biased to inversion (NMOSFET's) or accumulation (BC-PMOSFET's) during the measurement. As a result, the drain merges with the inversion or accumulation layer and "extends" under the entire gate, forming a "horizontal" p-n junction with the channels. The drain-to-body diode is then forward-biased by a small voltage, and the back gate voltage is scanned such that it brings the back interface to depletion, a condition that is at the center of all gated-diode techniques and required to activate the interface states and start the recombination/generation processes. The midchannel interface state density is obtained from the peak of the measured current vs. back gate voltage curves, and by combining the measurements with 2D numerical simulations (e.g. a combination of SUPREM and PISCES), the interface state density profiles along the channel length near the source and drain can also be obtained.

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6321942 INSPEC Abstract Number: B1999-09-2560R-069
 Title: Threshold voltage model for deep-submicron fully depleted SOI MOSFETs with back gate substrate induced surface potential effects

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Abstract: A simple analytical threshold voltage model for short-channel fully depleted SOI MOSFETs has been derived. The model is based on the analytical solution of the two-dimensional potential distribution in the silicon film (front silicon), which is taken as the sum of the long-channel solution to the Poisson's equation and the short-channel solution to the Laplace equation, and the solution of the Poisson's equation in the silicon substrate (back silicon). The proposed model accounts for the effects of the back gate substrate induced surface potential at the buried oxide-substrate interface which contributed an additional 15-30% reduction in the threshold voltage for the devices used in this work. Conditions on the back gate supply voltage range are determined upon which the surface potential at the buried oxide -substrate interface is accumulated, depleted, or inverted. The short-channel associated drain induced barrier lowering effects are also included in the model. The model predictions are in close agreement with PISCES simulation results. The equivalence between the present model and previously reported models is proven. The proposed model is suitable for use in circuit simulation tools such as Spice.

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6262040 INSPEC Abstract Number: B1999-07-2560R-023
Title: An analytical symmetric double-gate SOI MOSFET model
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Language: English
Abstract: In this paper, we present a simple, complete and analytical drain current model for symmetric double-gate SOI MOSFETs. The model was developed using a quasi-two-dimensional Poisson's equation. The model, applicable to digital/analogue circuit simulation, contains the following advanced features: precise description of the sub-threshold, near threshold and above-threshold regions of operation by one single expression; single-piece drain current equation, smoothly continuous from the linear region to the saturation region, considering the source/drain resistance; inclusion of important short channel effects such as velocity saturation, drain-induced barrier lowering and channel length modulation; self-heating effect due to the low thermal

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conductivity of the buried oxide; impact-ionization of MOS devices; and the parasitic BJT effect associated with drain breakdown.

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5483246 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9703-2560R-013
Title: Hot-carrier-induced degradation in ultra-thin-film fully-depleted

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Abstract: The charge-pumping measurement technique was successfully applied to submicron ($L_{\text{sub eff}} = 0.35 \mu\text{m}$) n-MOSFETs on ultra-thin (50 nm) SOI film. The hot-carrier-induced degradation is studied by examining the damages to both gate-oxide and buried-oxide (BOX) interfaces. We found that when stressed at maximum substrate current, interface-trap generation is still the primary cause for hot-carrier-induced degradation. Even for ultra-thin-film SOI devices, the hot-carrier-induced damage is locally confined to the gate-oxide interface and only minor damage is observed at the buried-oxide interface. The buried-oxide interface charging contributes less than 5% of the overall drain current degradation.

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5063167 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9511-1265D-017, C9511-5320G-013
Title: Low-voltage operation of a high-resistivity load SOI SRAM cell by reduced back-gate-bias effect

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Language: English

Abstract: The stability of a high-resistivity load SRAM cell using thin-film SOI MOSFET's was investigated as compared with bulk-Si MOSFET's. In SOI MOSFET's back-gate-bias effect was suppressed by indirect application of back-gate bias to the channel region through the thick buried oxide. The $V_{\text{sub t}}$ /

shifts were reduced to be 10% and 14% of that in bulk-Si MOSFET's in partially and fully depleted devices, respectively. The reduction of back-gate -bias effect provides improvement of "high" output voltage and gain in the enhancement-enhancement (EE) inverter in a high-resistivity load SRAM cell, thereby offering improved cell stability. It was demonstrated by using partially depleted SOI SRAM cells that non-destructive reading was obtained even at a low drain voltage of 1.4 V without gate-potential boost, which was much smaller than the operation limit in a bulk Si SRAM with the same patterns and dimensions used as a reference. This implies that SOI devices can also offer low-voltage operation even in TFT-load cells used in up-to-date high-density SRAM's. These results suggest that thin-film SOI MOSFET's have a superior potential of low-voltage operation expected for further scaled devices and/or for portable systems in a forthcoming multimedia era.

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Language: English

Abstract: In this work, self-heating effects are studied as a function of temperature. The electrical properties of fully depleted thin Si film N- and P-channel SIMOX MOSFETs are investigated between room and liquid helium temperatures. The P-and N-channel devices used in this study have been fabricated at LETI (Grenoble) with a conventionally-doped and a degenerately-doped LDD structures, respectively. The devices have an 11.5 nm gate oxide and a 380 nm buried oxide thicknesses. The article shows the drain current-drain voltage characteristics at 300 K for an N-channel SIMOX MOSFET fabricated with a degenerately doped LDD structure. The characteristics present a low negative differential resistance phenomenon for gate voltage up to 5 V. However, at 77 K, a strong negative differential resistance is observed for high gate voltages. The self heating effects are therefore significantly increased by reducing the temperature. This dependence is supposed to be due to the mobility variations and, also, the change with temperature of the threshold voltage.

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04288029 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9301-2560R-017

Title: Threshold voltage and C-V characteristics of **SOI MOSFET**
's related to Si film thickness variation on SIMOX wafers

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Language: English

Abstract: C-V characteristics of fully depleted SOI MOSFETs have been studied using a technique for measuring silicon-film thickness using a MOSFET. The technique is based on C-V measurements between the **gate** and source/drain at two different back-gate voltages, and only a large-area transistor is required. Using this technique, SOI film thickness mapping was made on a finished SIMOX wafer and a thickness variation of +or-150 AA was found. This thickness variation causes as much as a 100-mV variation in the device threshold voltage. The silicon-film thickness variation and threshold-voltage variation across a wafer shows a linear correlation dependence for a fully depleted device. C-V measurements of the back-gate device yield the buried-oxide thickness and parasitic capacitances. The effects of GIDL (gate-induced drain leakage) current on C-V characteristics are also discussed.

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04038514 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9201-2560R-027

Title: Negative conductance model for short-channel **SOI MOSFET**

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Language: English

Abstract: A short-channel SOI (silicon on insulator) n-channel MOSFET when source/drain junctions bottom out to the **buried oxide** may display a negative conductance in the output characteristics when the body tie is connected to the source. This phenomenon has been recently attributed to a temperature effect. However, the temperature effect is too small to account for the observation. Based on the theory of charge particle interaction in an electric field (between the channel electron flow and hole flow generated by impact ionization), a physical model is derived to account for the observation of the negative

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conductance. The model is implemented in a modified SPICE program to facilitate the verification. The model fits to a short-channel SOI n-channel MOSFET made on a thin low-defect SIMOX material at V_{sub} GS=5.0 V.

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02948782 INSPEC Abstract Number: B87053728
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Conference Sponsor: Appl. Mater.; Eaton Corp.; Tokyo Electron.; ASM
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Conference Date: 28 July-1 Aug. 1986 Conference Location: Berkeley,
CA, USA

Language: English
Abstract: The morphology of the novel self-aligned oxygen implanted SOI (SALOX SOI) MOSFET is studied. The channel silicon of SALOX SOI is confirmed to be undamaged single crystal silicon and connected with the substrate. Buried oxide formed by oxygen implantation in this SALOX SOI structure is shown by a cross section transmission electron micrograph (X-TEM) to be amorphous. The source/drain silicon on top of the buried oxide is single crystal, as shown by the transmission electron diffraction (TED) pattern. The source/drain regions are elevated due to the buried oxide volume expansion. A sharp silicon-silicon dioxide interface between the source/drain silicon and buried oxide is observed by Auger electron spectroscopy (AES). Well behaved n-MOS transistor current voltage characteristics are obtained and show no I-V kink.

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02754939 INSPEC Abstract Number: B86063291
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Language: English
Abstract: A method to nondestructively measure the silicon film

thickness and the buried insulating film thickness is presented. The method is based on a silicon-on-insulator (SOI) MOSFET, operating in the two regions where the threshold voltage depends on each of the film thicknesses. The method uses a feedback amplifier to hold the drain biases nearly constant while the body and/or the buried gate voltages are varied. Calculated threshold voltages from the top-gate voltages are used to calculate the film thicknesses. The method is illustrated on devices built in oxygen implanted substrates. The electrical measurements compare well with SEM image measurements.

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 Title: Simulated threshold voltage adjustment and drain current enhancement in novel striped-gate nondoped-channel fully depleted SOI-MOSFETs

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Abstract: To enhance the performance of metal-oxide-silicon field-effect-transistors (MOSFETs), a new device having a Silicon-on-insulator (SOI) structure, called a striped-gate SOI-MOSFET, is proposed and its electrical characteristics are estimated by device simulation. The threshold voltage of this device is controlled by changing the length of a metal layer interposed in the gate electrode. A set of systematic device simulations reveals a type of two-dimensional effect in the gate electric field provides a continuous threshold voltage control for a non-doped channel SOI-MOSFET, and that the suppression of the channel doping provides a large drain current. A circuit simulation on a 2-input complementary-MOS (CMOS) NAND gate chain comprising the devices shows that the operation speed is enhanced by 46% compared with that of bulk MOSFETs, due to the device's large drain current and small parasitic capacitance.

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6345081 INSPEC Abstract Number: B1999-10-2560R-058
 Title: Physical and mathematical basis for the crucial technical shortcoming of the split C-V technique in thin-SOI MOSFETs

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Abstract: This paper describes the physical and mathematical basis of the crucial technical shortcoming of the conventional split C-V technique in thin-SOI MOSFETs. Mathematical expressions indicate that the conventional technique is only available for a very thick buried-oxide layer or a metallic back gate electrode.

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